

STATE OF MICHIGAN TERRI LYNN LAND, SECRETARY OF STATE

DEPARTMENT OF STATE Lansing

August 25, 2005

POLITICAL PARTY STATUS

AUGUST 8, 2006 PRIMARY NOVEMBER 7, 2006 GENERAL ELECTION

I. QUALIFIED TO NOMINATE CANDIDATES BY DIRECT PRIMARY METHOD

The following political parties are qualified to appear on Michigan's August 8, 2006 primary ballot. (Based on number of votes received by the candidate whose name appeared nearest the top of the party's column at the November 2, 2004 general election. Candidate had to have received at least 5% of the total number of votes cast for the office of Secretary of State. Computes to 154,961 votes. See MCL 168.532.)

A. Republican Party of Michigan

2121 East Grand River Lansing, Michigan 48912

Saul Anuzis, Chairperson Phone: (517) 487-5413 Fax: (517) 487-0090

Candidate: George W. Bush (U.S. President – 2,313,746 votes)

B. Democratic Party of Michigan

606 Townsend Lansing, Michigan 48933

Mark Brewer, Executive Chairperson

Phone: (517) 371-5410 Fax: (517) 371-2056

Candidate: John F. Kerry (U.S. President – 2,479,183 votes)

II. QUALIFIED TO NOMINATE BY CAUCUS OR CONVENTION: BALLOT STATUS RETAINED AFTER 2004 GENERAL ELECTION

In addition to the political parties listed above, the following political parties are qualified to appear on Michigan's November 7, 2006 general election ballot. (Based on the greatest number of votes received by *any* candidate whose name appeared in the party's

column at the November 2, 2004 general election. Candidate had to have received at least 1% of the total number of votes cast for the successful candidate for the office of Secretary of State. Computes to 17,033 votes. See MCL 168.685(6) as amended under PA 399 of 2002).

A. Green Party of Michigan

548 South Main St. Ann Arbor, Michigan 48104

Marc Reichardt, Chairperson Phone: (734) 663-3555

Candidate: Peter Ponzetti (State Board of Education – 84,765 votes)

B. U.S. Taxpayers Party of Michigan

4119 Thackin Drive

Lansing, Michigan 48911-1920

Calvin Zastrow, Chairperson Phone: (517) 394-2377 Fax: (517) 394-6122

Candidate: Karen Adams (University of Michigan Board of Regents – 144,834 votes)

C. Libertarian Party of Michigan

913 West Holmes Road Lansing, Michigan 48910

Mailing Address: P.O. Box 27065 Lansing, Michigan 48924-7065

Nathan Allen, Chairperson Phone: (248) 891-3003 E-mail: chair@lpmich.org

Candidate: Scotty Boman (State Board of Education – 136,935 votes)

D. Natural Law Party

13541 Austin Court Hartland, Michigan 48353

Doug Dern, Chairperson Phone: (248) 889-0610 E-mail: dddern@aol.com

Candidate: Katherine Dern (Michigan State University – 87,022 votes)

III. SEEKING BALLOT STATUS

A political party listed below will gain the right to appear on Michigan's November 7, 2006 general election ballot if the party files a "new political party" petition containing at least 31,776 valid signatures no later than 4:00 p.m. on July 20, 2006. (Based on 1% of total number of votes cast for the office of Governor. See MCL 168.685.)

A. Defender Party of Michigan

20061 Pinion Howard City, Michigan 49329

Vitaly Korschow, Party Coordinator

Phone: (231) 937-4876 E-mail: bmtya@yahoo.com